NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS

Applicant

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MANAGING OWNERSHIP OF

VIRTUAL PROPERTY

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby confirms that it is no longer entitled to status as a small entity and that any previous assertion is hereby withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,

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